

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 887

By Beavers

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Karen Leu, 2008  
Valedictorian of Lebanon High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Karen Leu is one such exceptional student who was recently named Valedictorian of the 2008 graduating class at Lebanon High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Miss Leu has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in addition to her status as a stellar scholar, this exceptional young lady has been a valuable participant in her school's activities as a member of the National Honor Society, a contributor to the school literary magazine, and a staffer for the school newspaper; and

WHEREAS, Karen has evidenced a strong commitment to public service and good citizenship at an early age, and she volunteers her time and considerable talents to worthy causes, such as the Mayor's Youth Council, Joseph's Storehouse, and Habitat for Humanity; and

WHEREAS, Miss Leu's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success at Maryville College; and

WHEREAS, Karen's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Bryan and Diane Leu, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Miss Leu's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2008 Lebanon High School

Valedictorian, Karen Leu, on her impressive academic achievement and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.